

## **WHIL.13 Cold War Study Guide**

- 1. What conference did the Allied Powers hold to decide on Germany's fate after the war?**
- 2. Who were the 3 leaders at this conference?**
- 3. Who were the 2 superpowers left after WWII?**
- 4. What organization was created after WWII to help maintain world peace?**
- 5. What organization did it replace?**
- 6. What organization was developed to prevent the spread of communism in Europe? What country led it?**
- 7. What organization was developed in response to the one in question #4? What country led it?**
- 8. What term did Churchill use to describe the Soviet's dominance in Eastern Europe?**
- 9. What happened to Germany immediately following WWII? What 4 countries occupied it?**
- 10. What 2 nations did it break into? What happened to its capital, Berlin?**
- 11. Which part of Germany/Berlin was Communist? Capitalist?**
- 12. Why was the Berlin Wall constructed? What country constructed it?**
- 13. What did its fall symbolize?**
- 14. What were the years for the beginning and the end of the Cold War?**
- 15. What is the theory (involving nuclear weapons) that kept the US and USSR from fighting each other? What is another name for this theory?**
- 16. What part of Europe did the Marshall Plan aid?**
- 17. What 2 countries did the Truman Doctrine aid?**
- 18. What was the goal of both plans?**
- 19. What theory states that communism will spread from one country to its neighboring countries if is not stopped?**
- 20. What was the name of the U.S. policy for preventing the spread of communism? What doctrine supported this policy?**
- 21. Which Soviet leader allowed some capitalism in the USSR? What was the Russian term for this?**
- 22. What type of attitude did the members of the Warsaw Pact develop during the Cold War?**
- 23. What organization did they join when communism collapsed?**
- 24. What was state of the Soviet's economy near the end of the Cold War?**
- 25. What were the years for the Chinese Civil War (post-WWII)? Korean War? Vietnam War? Cuban Missile Crisis?**
- 26. Who were the 2 sides in the Chinese Civil War? Who were their leaders?**
- 27. What country showed support to the Communists?**
- 28. Who won the Chinese Civil War? What did the losing side do?**
- 29. Was the Truman Doctrine used in the Chinese Civil War?**

30. What 2 sides fought in the Korean War?
31. What countries supported the North? What country supported the South?
32. What line divided Korea north and south?
33. What event began the Korean War?
34. What US general led UN troops into North Korea?
35. What was the outcome of the Korean War? Has it changed since then?
36. What European country was weak enough for Vietnam to kick out after WWII?
37. Who were the 2 sides in the Vietnam War?
38. Who supported North Vietnam? Who supported South Vietnam?
39. Who was the leader of North Vietnam?
40. What was the result of the Vietnam War? What type of government runs it today?
41. What type of government took over Cuba after their revolution in 1959?
42. What country placed missiles in Cuba? What country were the missiles facing?
43. What was the name of the crisis that pursued this discovery?
44. How did this crisis end?
45. Put these wars in order: Korean War, Vietnam War, Chinese Civil War
46. What did Margaret Thatcher accomplish? What country did she lead?
47. Define perestroika
48. Define glasnost
49. Who led China in the later half of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, and what change was he known for making?
50. What phrase refers to an independent country that is controlled by another nation?
51. What nation controlled the above-mentioned countries?
52. Identify:
  1. Mao Zedong
  2. Ho Chi Minh
  3. Douglas MacArthur
  4. Chiang Kai-Shek
  5. Indira Gandhi
  6. Mikhail Gorbachev
53. Identify each of the following as either a characteristic of the *East* or *West* during the Cold War.
  1. Democratic
  2. Communism
  3. Eastern Europe
  4. NATO
  5. Western Europe
  6. Warsaw Pact
  7. Capitalism
  8. US Allies
54. Study your map!